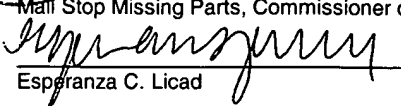




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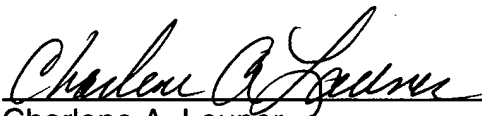
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2. Request for Five-Month Extension of Time.
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4. Signed Original Declaration for Patent Application.

5. Initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the Sequence Listing as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e), and Paper Sequence Listing consisting of eight (8) pages.
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
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